

REMARKS

Claims 6-31 are allowed.

Claims 10 and 25 have been amended to correct typographic errors. Claim 20 has been amended to correctly spell out the abbreviation of API. The Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendments.

CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

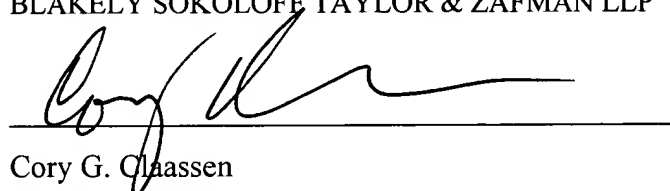
It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Any fees required therefore are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. Please credit any overpayment to the same deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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